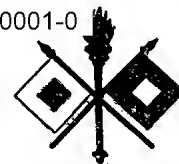


# THE WHITE HOUSE

## OUTGOING MESSAGE

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**OPERATION IMMEDIATE**

PRECEDENCE

[Redacted Box]

CLASSIFICATION

**25 SEPT. 63**

DATE

FROM: **CIA/OCI**

TO: **EYES ONLY FOR THE PRESIDENT**

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**1. DOMINICAN REPUBLIC:**

A. [REDACTED] PRESIDENT BOSCH WAS OVERTHROWN IN A BLOODLESS COUP A FEW HOURS AGO.

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B. IT WAS CARRIED OUT BY RIGHTIST MILITARY OFFICERS APPARENTLY HEADED BY COLONEL WESSIN Y WESSIN, COMMANDER OF THE MILITARY TRAINING CENTER AT SAN ISIDRO. THE REST OF THE LINEUP IS LESS CERTAIN.

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D. BOSCH IS NOW [REDACTED] UNDER ARREST ON THE TRUMPED UP CHARGE THAT HE WAS DEPORTING SPANIARDS CONTRARY TO THE CONSTITUTION.

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**2. YEMEN--UAR:**

A. ANTI-ROYALIST TRIBAL AND RELIGIOUS LEADERS ARE PRESSING FOR A GREATER SAY IN THE GOVERNMENT.

B. CAIRO APPARENTLY ALSO CONSIDERS SALLAL'S GOVERNMENT UNWORKABLE AND WILL PROBABLY MAKE SOME CHANGES.

C. SALLAL HAS ARRIVED ON THE SCENE FROM CAIRO. MARSHAL AMER AND ANOTHER TOP NASIR AIDE ARE ALSO NOW IN SANA.

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3. SOUTH VIETNAM:

A. A HIGH OFFICIAL OF THE SOUTH VIETNAMESE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TELLS US THAT PUBLIC ACCEPTANCE OF THE DIEM GOVERNMENT'S STATEMENTS IS "PRACTICALLY ZERO." HE SAYS THE PEOPLE OF SAIGON, INCLUDING ASSEMBLY DEPUTIES AND CIVIL SERVANTS, WANT A CHANGE.

B. HE HIMSELF SEES NO ALTERNATIVE TO DIEM AND BELIEVES NHU HAS VALUABLE QUALITIES. HE SUGGESTS NHU BE MADE PRIME MINISTER, WITH MADAME NHU "PERMANENTLY EXILED", AND THAT GENUINELY FREE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY ELECTIONS BE HELD.

C. REPORTS OF COUP PLOTTING

[REDACTED] BUT THE WILLINGNESS OF THE MILITARY UNITS SUPPOSEDLY INVOLVED TO SUPPORT A COUP REMAINS UNCERTAIN.

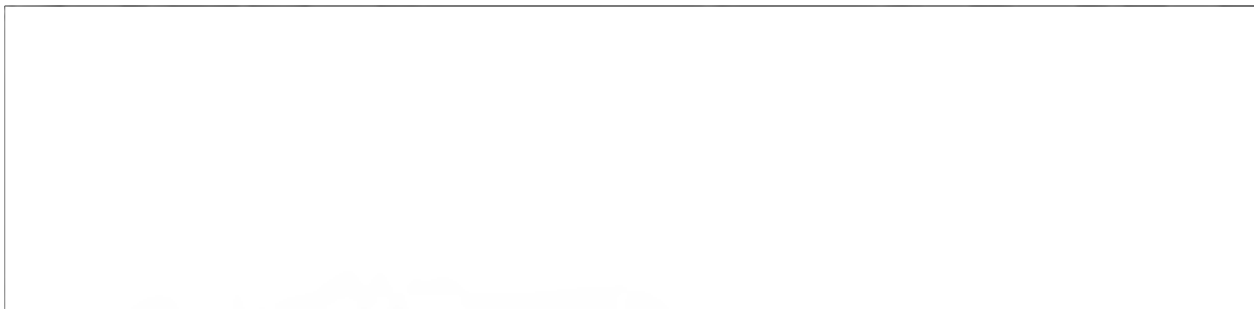
D. [REDACTED]

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**5. HAITI - DOMINICAN REPUBLIC:**



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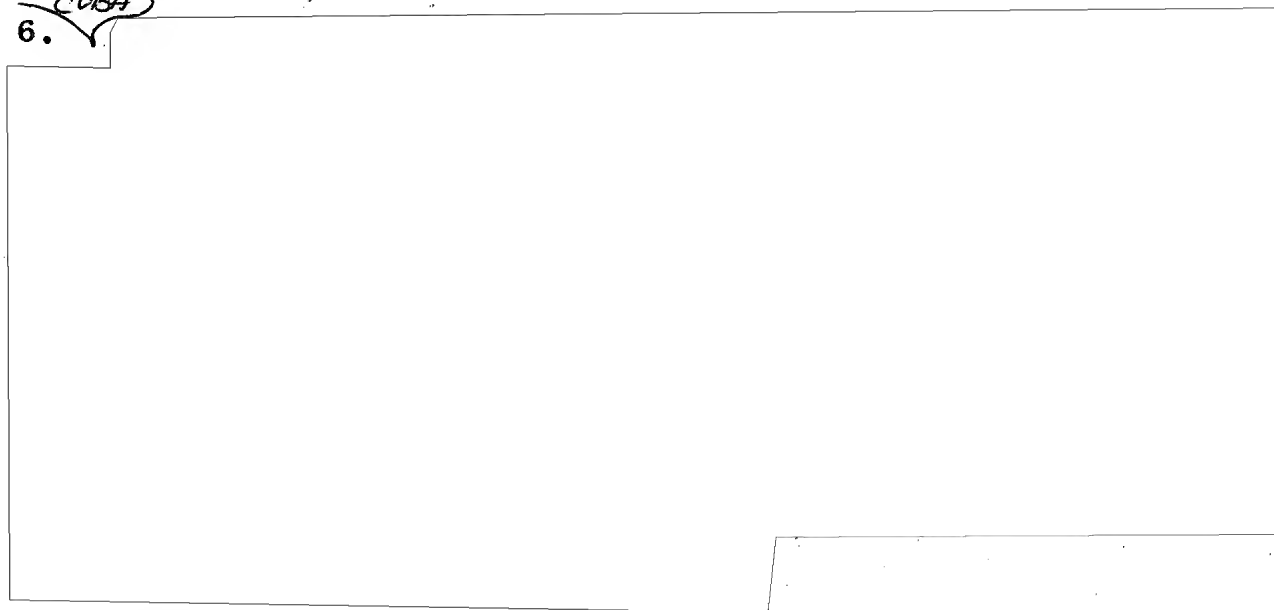
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**C. PORT-AU-PRINCE HAS REMAINED CALM.**



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6. *(CUBA)*



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**7. NO NOTES.**

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